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The Internal Revenue Service has released the 2018 W-4 form – Employee's Withholding Allowance Certificate. Instructions on completing this form and calculating personal allowances can be found at https://www.irs.gov/pub/irs-pdf/fw4.pdf. The Illinois Office of the Comptroller (IOC) does not require the W-4 form (Comptroller Form C-25) to be completed annually.

State of Illinois employees should complete the W-4 form upon hire or when making name, address, or allowance changes. This form is now available as a fillable PDF on the Comptroller's website at www.illinoiscomptroller.gov/agencies/accounting-forms/. Agencies should use the PDF fillable form on the website as the IOC will no longer print W-4 forms for the agencies once current stock runs out. A copy of the W-4 must be signed and kept on file with the employing agency and a second copy should only be submitted to the IOC for new hires, name changes, or address updates.

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